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FARM NEWS AND VIEWS

Keep the nests clean.

Keep on swatting the flies.

Mules are becoming popular.

It is possible to grow the pigs on pasture.

Flies and hot weather cut down dairy profits.

Alfalfa pasture and hogs is a great combination.

Rape is one of the best crops for temporary hog pasture.

It is as easy to teach a colt good manners as faulty ones.

The quack grass problem is largely a matter of poor drainage.

The separator should never be allowed in the barn or near it.

The horses should be given at least one feed of mixed hay once a day.

Trees should not be planted on a high slope, for the soil is likely to be too thin.

Never attempt to keep summer butter for early fall prices because it will not keep.

The horses cannot rest while fighting flies. Better shade or screen the barn windows.

It is a mistake to keep young turkey hens every year, particularly those hatched late.

Do away with blinders on the horse. Their use is a cruel practice and cause many eye defects.

See that your brood sows get plenty of exercise, so that they may produce large, healthy litters.

The hens simply cannot and will not fill the egg basket and feed lice and mites on their bodies.

The man who is trying to keep hogs without pasture and forage crops is fifty years behind the times.

A man should be kept in the silo, spreading and packing the corn as fast as it comes from the cutter.

In training mules for use on the farm it is best to begin by using them for light work during the third year.

Corn silage is just as valuable for carrying over stock and feeders as it is for fattening and finishing the beefs.

Demand for good, productive farm property is steadily increasing. Some very high prices are paid for well improved farms.

Sheep will live and thrive on much feed that is of little value for other stock but that does not imply that they can do without.

Frequently put a little cayenne pepper in the dry mash. It will serve to keep them in condition. A little salt should also be given.

The sooner manure is spread in the field the smaller the loss of fertility incurred and the smaller the amount of labor required to handle it.

The common disk harrow is more generally used than any other implement to cultivate alfalfa, and when properly adjusted does good work.

Cowpox has a value in crop rotation because they serve the double purpose of producing a crop of feed and fertilizing the soil at the same time.

The great majority of diseases are due to bad management and housing, including cold, damp and ill-ventilated houses; rich feeding, impure water and lack of exercise.

It requires three months or more to grow a broiler, much depending upon the weight desired, the stock and the care. Broilers shrink about half a pound each when dressed.

Exercise the stallion.

Do not neglect the heifers.

A pony for the boy is handy.

Clean chicken coops mean health.

Look out now for the mare and colt.

Now is the time to begin dipping the poultry.

Separate out the young roosters. Eat the old hens.

Water, the necessity of life, is too often denied live stock.

A night pasture should always be arranged near the barn.

In handling colts there is more profit in coaxing than in kicking.

Keep the manger sweet. Scalding water will correct this trouble.

Choice heifers make choice milkers—save the choicest for the dairy.

Be sure the mares and colts in pasture have shelter from the hot sun.

Keep the sweet potato vines clipped back to not over two feet in length.

The hotter the water the better job it does in cleaning the milk utensils.

The old-fashioned straw shed is a cheap and satisfactory shelter for the stock.

Lime does not take the place of fertilizer, but makes it more effective.

A little sand on the floors of the hen house will do away with dampness.

Turn the horses out to pasture it will help to cool their blood.

A bit of grain in the manger at milking time can call the cows farther than you can.

Do not neglect to give the calves each day some fresh locks of clover or alfalfa hay.

Success does not lie in the number of cows a man keeps, but rather in the kind he keeps.

Notice how closely the flies stick to the cows' cool mornings. They need a little fly-repellent.

To allow the ewe and lamb to run together without thoughts of weaning is a poor sort of policy.

Farmers must realize that it requires feed to grow sheep, just as it does to grow cattle or hogs.

Without ice it is hard to get the cream at too low a temperature to churn; quickly this time of year.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS OF THE PENINSULA

DELAWARE

Caught between rolls in a Wilmington plant one of S. L. Williams' hands was crushed.

Struck by a fragment of emery, Samuel McKnight, New Castle, may lose the sight of an eye.

Fame Hose Fire Company, Wilmington has asked the City Council to cancel a mortgage of \$3000.

Sarah Evans, colored, aged 15 years, is under arrest in Wilmington for the alleged theft of a pair of shoes from a store.

A dog which bit William Royal, of Hillcrest, employed in Wilmington bank, developed pronounced rabies and was killed.

Owing to an outbreak of boils, Joseph Freebury, New Castle, is unable to perform his duties as watchman at the Boldt steel plant.

Falling from the steps of a Wilmington hotel, William Garland, aged 72 years, sustained such serious lacerations of the head.

Mrs. Lewis E. Eliason has been elected president of Immanuel Episcopal Ladies' Auxiliary, New Castle and Miss Mary Shaw secretary.

Falling from a hay mow, Mrs. Samuel Alridge, of near Christiansa, was so severely injured she had to be taken to Wilmington Hospital.

Eighty tons of hay and a shed on T. Coleman duPont's farm near Wilmington were destroyed by fire of mysterious origin Sunday night.

Felled by a blow in the face in a fight in Wilmington, Clarence Pierce, aged 25 years, struck his head on a car track and was sent to a hospital.

For breaking into a house in Wilmington and threatening to shoot the occupants, George Dodd, a negro, was held in \$200 bail for the Grand Jury.

The fall institute of the New Castle County W. C. T. U. will be held at New Castle Thursday with Mrs. Harry Harris Armour, of Georgia, as the principal speaker.

Leaving to study for the ministry at Nashotah College, Fon du Lac, Wis., Elmer C. Pedrick, New Castle, was given a reception by his Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Lewis E. Eliason.

When their launch struck a submerged rock in Brandywine Creek, William A. Moore and his two young sons were rescued just in time to escape drowning, by Irvin Pike, who put off from shore in a rowboat.

The menhaden fishing steamer Otis W. Douglas, built by the American Car and Foundry Company of Fleeton, Va., left the yards of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Corporation, where the engines were installed, Saturday afternoon.

The body of Captain Robert Fowler, of the American Dredging Company drowned by falling from a dredge in Delaware River a week ago, was found floating off Reedy Island, and was sent to his late home, in Camden, N. J., yesterday.

MARYLAND

A festival netted Rising Sun Junior League \$50.

A festival and bazaar netted North East Golden Eagles \$125.

A new lodge of Odd Fellows is being organized at Galena.

A Wilson and Talbot campaign club has been organized as Joppa.

Falling down a flight of stairs, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, of near Elkton fractured a hip.

William J. Miller, Elkton, has been appointed instructor in the Friends' and Fire Companies and men prominent in all avenues of life from every part of Delaware.

Tuesday afternoon will be Children's Day with a parade and drills. Tuesday night there will be a band concert at Washington Heights and the Delaware Seasideband will give a singing concert in connection with the other musical program.

Wednesday afternoon the Industrial Parade will be held. The entire Delaware Militia will participate. They will have as their guests two companies of the Pennsylvania Militia, which are stationed in Chester, the mounted detachment of the Pennsylvania Military Academy, and the Delaware College Cadets. These bodies of men will act as an escort to the long line of floats, industrial and manufacturing exhibits and other displays that will be in line. General T. Coleman DuPont will be the marshal of this parade. Governor Pennewill and staff will review it.

Wednesday night the parade of the social, fraternal political and labor organizations will be held and Governor Pennewill will review it. There will be five divisions, a total of about 10,000 men participating. Thirty will furnish numerous bands for this parade. There will be floats in line and many of the organizations will be in costume and uniform.

Thursday afternoon the firemen will have their big parade and this will be one of the features of the week. Thursday night there will be an automobile parade with several hundred cars handsomely decorated in line.

Friday night there will be a mask carnival when King Momus will reign supreme and the town will be wide open for merry making. Saturday afternoon there will be a parade in honor of Columbus Day.

Saturday night as a grand finale of the week \$500 worth of fire works will be set off at Washington Heights. This will be by far the most spectacular and magnificent display of the kind ever seen in this part of the country and will conclude with the ignition of one ton of loose powder which will make a light visible at a distance of 40 miles.

Charged with causing the death of "Bad" Simmons by a blow on the head, Albert Fernan, Elkton, has been arrested.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

New York, Oct. 2d.

One can spend a fortune on clothes, or dress well on a very limited sum according to the way the things are managed, but it is safe to say that the woman who accomplishes wonders at small outlay makes a study of clothes, and keeps herself informed on the latest style wrinkles.

Wool Embroideries

She knows for instance, that wool embroideries in Oriental colorings, are just now faddish and uses a little of this sort of trimming when refurbishing a black satin dress. Because brocades are reckoned smart, she uses a bit that she has saved up for the crown of a hat, or a corsage vest that freshens up last year's suit wonderfully or lends an air of difference to a ready made purchase that needs an individual touch.

She Studies Lines

Lines must be studied if one is to look one's best. The silhouette or outline varies from year to year and it is by observing this that one follows the trend of style successfully. This year with draperies and pleats and gathers, the severely plain outline so characteristic of former seasons is giving way to more graceful effects, yet skirts are small at the foot, and lines are designed to add "slenderness to the figure."

The New Corsets

Corset models must change constantly to keep pace with dress lines. Just now one should look apple and willow if possible and the new corset models brought out Sept. 9th by the Warner Co. are attracting attention all over the country. These show correct lines for an infinite variety of figures, at a wide range of prices. Whatever the grade, however,

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Mails Close as Follows.
Going North—2:25 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 4:05 p. m., 8 p. m., 11:30 p. m.
Going South—5:05 a. m., 4:15 p. m., 8 p. m., 11:30 p. m.
For Ocean—7:40 a. m., 5:30 p. m., 11:30 p. m.
For Warwick, Cecilton and Earlville 9:20 a. m. and 4:45 p. m.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Orders taken for Chrysanthemums and on sale after October 1st. J. H. EMBERTON.

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Buy your Monumental Work from C. Frank Davidson, 34th and Shipley streets, opposite Riverview Cemetery, Wilmington, Del.

After October first, the Public Library hours will be: Tuesday, 3:30 to 5 and 7 to 8:30; Friday, 7 to 8:30; Saturday, 3 to 5, P. M.

Mr. E. R. Marker one of our up-to-date farmers living on a large farm, near Mt. Pleasant has his corn cut and wheat seeded in one field.

Dr. F. H. Moore will preach at Armstrong's Chapel on tomorrow, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It is desirable that all friends of the Chapel be present.

Teeth without plates, gold crowns and bridgework. The newest cast aluminum plates. Also gold and vulcanite dentures. Free Estimate. DR. J. ALLEN JOHNSON, Phone 150.

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The Woman's Missionary Society and the Woman's Mite Society of the Forest Presbyterian Church will hold a sale of the "Old and New," also a Bake on Saturday, Oct. 5th, in the room of Miss Martha Roberts, East Main street.

Unclaimed Letters.—The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post office for the week ending Sept. 26th: Miss Blanche Blackmon, Miss Eddie Hinson, Miss Mabel Jones, Miss Lizzie Mies, Mrs. M. Reading, Mr. John Benet, Mr. George Brown, A. L. Henry, Edward Johnson, Mr. L. B. McCann, Albert Lee, George Thorn.

Enjoyable Dance

An enjoyable dance was given in the New Century Club Room, on Monday evening, by a committee of young men.

The dancers were: Miss Mary Richards, Mary Beaton, Lela Vinyard, Lena Weber, Mrs. William Beaton, Miss Ada Scott, Prudence Lewis, Viola Weber, Lena Dutton, Mrs. William Robinson of this town, Miss Mable Ford and Miss Campbell of Clayton, and Miss Edith Ginn of Townsend; Messrs. Norman Kampel, Harry Vinyard, Ringgold Richards, William Beaton, William Kirk, Elwood Banning, Philip Vinyard, Albert Donovan, Delbert Gallagher, Comings Coston, Jack Valiant, Allen Evans, Dawson Wilcots, William Robinson and Mr. Thornly.

Wedding Cards

A number of persons residing here have received invitations for the marriage of Miss Mary Budd Pepper to Mr. John Sears Barker, both of Madison, Maine.

The ceremony will be performed on Monday evening, October seventh, in Madison. Miss Pepper is the only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Lynch Pepper and the grand daughter of the late Professor Alfred S. Wright who for a number of years was the very efficient principal of the Middletown High School. Both Miss Pepper, mother and grandfather will be well remembered by the many who knew them so well when Middletown was their home.

THE NEW CENTURY CLUB

The New Century Club will resume its meetings for the Fall on next Tuesday afternoon, when a reception will be given with Miss May Holten, chairman. This will include the address by the president, Miss Lydia Cochran and a report of the State Federation, by Mrs. Sylvia W. Burris.

The president and advisory board have prepared an unusually good program for the year's work, and it is hoped that each member of the Board will do her part. The officers and chairman for the year are: President, Miss Lydia Cochran; First Vice President, Miss Mary Hutchins; Second Vice President, Mrs. Elizabeth Chamberlain; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Sylvia W. Burris; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Susan P. Stites; Treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth Shepherd; Auditor, Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker; Advisory Board, Mrs. A. W. Derrickson; Mrs. Clara B. Green, Miss Ethel Brady, Miss Laura Willette.

Chairmen of Standing Committees: Education, Miss Ethel W. Brady, Civics and Forestry, Mrs. Clara M. Freeman; Household Economics, Miss Bessie Anderson, Library, Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker; Arts and Crafts, Mrs. Francis H. McCoy; Reciprocity, Mrs. May K. McDowell; Social Service, Mrs. A. W. Derrickson; Music, Mrs. Mary C. Pool; Entertainment, Miss Eugenia Beaton; Program, Mrs. F. H. Derrickson, Club Hostess, Mrs. Jennie W. Pennington; Rivers and Harbors, Mrs. Elizabeth Moore; Decoration, Mrs. Laura G. Northrup; Property, Miss Esther Davis.

THE NEW WELL ACCEPTED

The new ten inch artesian well which was completed last Saturday night by contractor J. H. K. Shannahan, of St. Michaels, Md., has proven to be a success, and the Light & Water Commission has accepted same and settled with Mr. Shannahan, the amount paid him being \$2,144.51.

The well is 405 feet and 6 inches in depth and produced a larger quantity of water than any of the numerous wells heretofore driven at the plant.

The contractor began actual work on the well about four weeks ago, and experienced but little difficulty in completing the well. On previous occasions when some of the contractors found it necessary to go much deeper than Dr. Shannahan, several strata of rock were found, which required many days of constant drilling, and a great expense to the contractors.

The new well was driven on the north end of the lot, and the Commissioners are now asking for bids for a large reservoir, to be 20 feet deep and 30 feet long. The Commission is also asking for bids for the construction of an air compressor and lift to be used on the deep well.

The Commissioners have realized for several months that the old wells were not equal to the demand, and are highly pleased with the success of their new well.

SURPRISE VARIETY SHOWER

Miss Agnes L. Cochran was given a "variety shower" last Saturday afternoon in view of her approaching marriage to Mr. Louis E. Hutchinson of Trenton, N. J.

Miss Cochran had been invited out to dinner at the home of Mrs. William Green and upon her return home found a number of her friends at her home ready to shower her with any number of pretty things as well as preserved and canned goods. The affair was an entire surprise to Miss Cochran and was arranged by her girl friends.

Those present were: Mrs. Lindsey Cochran, Mrs. J. R. Griffith, Mrs. Howard A. Pool, Mrs. Julian H. Foard, Mrs. John C. Green, Mrs. M. Lockwood, Mrs. William Green, Jr., Miss Lydia Cochran, Mr. Holten, Josephine Cochran, Jessie Culbertson, Eliza C. Green, Doris Price, Etta Price, Elizabeth Price and Patton Cochran.

Miss Cochran was the guest of honor at a small card party given by Miss Ethel Brady on Monday afternoon. Those present besides Miss Cochran were: Mrs. Culbertson S. Green, Mrs. Edward M. Vaughan, Mrs. Howard A. Pool, Miss Lydia Cochran, Miss Welsh and Miss Brady.

Young Men Give Dance

Several young men gave a dance in the New Century Club, on Saturday evening. The dance was continued until the midnight hour. Among those present were: Miss Frances Johnson, of Sassafras, Md.; Misses Devalinger, Madeline Pennington, Estella Beaton, Emma Pennington, Naomi Keith, Mary Cochran, Anna Van Dyke, Emma Carpenter, Mrs. Earl Pleasanton, Mrs. William Wilson and Miss Anna May Berry, Messrs. Frank Richards, Earl Pleasanton, James Carpenter, David Manlove, Archie Manlove, Mr. Devalinger, Joseph Griffith, Benjamin Gibbs, John Hockill, Isaac Gibbs, Ralph Shallock, Albert Donovan and Mr. Johnson, of Sassafras, Md.

Indian Princess to Visit Us

A beautiful Indian maiden, a princess of the famous Cherokee tribe, has charmed the world by her beauty and gracefulness. Princess Arrow Shot has no equal in the world, male or female, for her beauty, her manly bearing and her riding of the untamable horses with the prairie lillie and Nebraska Bill Wild West is spectacular and marvelous. She is one of the many features of the show, which will exhibit in Middletown, Friday, October 11th.

Mr. Handy Improved

Roland Bell, of Smyrna, has received a cablegram from former Congressman L. Irving Handy, his brother-in-law, telling of his safe arrival at Bremen, Germany, after a trip of fourteen days from Baltimore. He wires that the trip was very rough but he arrived in Bremen much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. Handy will remain abroad some time through the continent, but Mr. Handy expects to return before election day.

Real Estate Sale

Mr. E. H. Beck, Real Estate Broker, has sold the farm of E. B. Phillips, near Fort Penn, containing 152 acres to Charles H. Hastings, of Salisbury, for \$5000.

He has sold the farm of 40 acres near Kirkwood, belonging to Richard T. Cann to Mrs. A. Merritt, of \$2500.

OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

Mrs. B. F. Gallagher spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. S. E. Lewis has returned from a visit in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lee were in Philadelphia on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Allen spent last Sunday with Mrs. H. S. Beaton.

Miss Blanche Spry spent several days of this week in Wilmington.

Miss Jessie Culbertson, of Wilmington, spent part of this week in town.

Miss Lydia Cochran has Miss Welsh, of Chestertown, Md., as her guest.

Mrs. J. B. Donovan is entertaining her mother Mrs. Blackmon, of Little Creek.

Mr. W. W. Freeman and daughter, Mildred, spent Monday in Wilmington.

Mrs. W. B. Biggs and Miss Helen Biggs are spending some time in Trenton, N. J.

Miss Ada Scott and Miss Marie Scott spent Sunday with relatives in Townsend.

Miss E. A. Hancock, of New York, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. E. Wilcots.

Mr. Wilson Bryan, of Wilmington, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis.

Miss Dora R. Price spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. M. Price, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Corbit Vinyard and daughter, Miss Marian, spent several days in Trenton, N. J.

Mr. A. S. Pennington, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with Mr. L. C. Scott.

Mrs. William A. Finley, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday at the Presbyterian Manse.

Mrs. Mary A. Hall and Mrs. Francis H. Moore visited relatives at Principio Furnace this week.

Mr. R. W. Hall and wife, of Phoenixville, Pa., were Sunday guests at the Presbyterian Manse.

Mrs. E. C. Wilcutt, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her daughters Mrs. H. W. Woolford.

Mrs. Annie Donaldson spent several days this week with friends and relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. Fannie Craddock, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother, Mr. W. B. Kates and family.

Miss Ford, of Clayton, and Miss Campbell, of Ridgely, were guests of Mrs. S. J. Jones over Sunday.

Rev. F. H. Moore attended the Fall Meeting of the Presbytery of New Castle and Port Deposit, Md.

Miss Emma Kelly has been spending some time at the home of her brother, George D. Kelley, Jr.

Capt. J. F. Blockson and son, Roland, of Little Creek, spent the week-end with Mrs. H. W. Woolford.

Mr. H. P. Kelley, of Harrisburg, Pa., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. John P. Price, near Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. James T. Eliason, of New Castle, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. E. Houston.

Mr. F. S. McWhorter, of Riverton, N. J., has been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWhorter.

Mr. Reese Darlington, of Rochester, N. H., is spending a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Jones.

Miss Charlotte Pevelev left Wednesday for Burlington, N. J., where she is attending school at St. Mary's Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and daughter, of near Wilmington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Northrup.

Mrs. W. A. Finley, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday at the Manse, the guest of her brother, Rev. F. H. Moore and wife.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Adams, of Sharpstown, Md., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their daughter Mrs. John A. Jolle.

Mrs. Van R. Tindall and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Wilkison, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cox and family.

Mrs. Vaughan S. Collins is spending the week in New Castle, Pa., attending a branch meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

NEWMAN'S MOTION PICTURES

Judging from the trend of the traffic every evening—all streets lead toward the Opera House.

That Mr. Newman's programs are still pleasing the public is apparent from the expressions of approval heard on every hand from his pleased patrons.

Patrons of this popular form of amusement are beginning to realize the entertaining and instructive value of the pictures.

The class of subjects portrayed on the screen embraces a variety calculated to please every taste.

In a short period of time a regular patron is taken on scenic trips to all portions of the globe; is shown the actual workings of many great industrial enterprises, and as for thrilling delineations of the fast disappearing Western modes of living one is treated to scenes of this character almost nightly—and comedy! Well, we see some of the long producers exhibited by H. S. Newman and you are very likely to join the list of steady patrons.

Saturday night, H. S. Newman presents one of his usual thrilling and delightful programs.

State Corn Show

The Delaware Corn Growers' Association through its secretary, A. E. Giamtham, is arranging for the sixth annual State Corn Show to be held in Wilmington, Delaware, at Post Building, Jan. 15-17, 1913. The Wilmington Board of Trade offers \$200 for premiums and the State Board of Agriculture \$100. Other valuable premiums of merchandise will also be offered.

Heavy Express Traffic

The amount of express and baggage has increased to such proportions on the Delaware Railroad of late that passenger trains were being delayed by the time required to handle the same. In order to overcome this two additional trains were put on recently between Philadelphia and Delmar to handle the express work exclusively.

AUTUMN WEDDING

Middletown society was out in force on Wednesday afternoon, to attend the marriage of Miss Agnes Lindsey Cochran of Middletown and Mr. Louis E. Hutchinson of Trenton, N. J.

The ceremony was performed in St. Anne's P. E. Church, on Green street, at 1 o'clock. The church had been made beautiful by the girl friends of the bride, the artistic decorations consisting of greens, golden flowers and autumn foliage. The chancel and altar were prettily trimmed and the church was crowded with interested friends of the bridal couple.

The wedding march was played by Mrs. J. Allen Johnson who is organist at the church. Little Miss Jane Kafer of Lawrenceville, N. J., a niece of the groom, was flower girl, and wore white with blue ribbons. Letitia Pool of McDonough was ring bearer and wore white with blue ribbons. The bride's made, Miss Helen Shallock, of Trenton, N. J., a niece of the bride wore a blue velvet suit and carried yellow chrysanthemums. The ushers were Howard A. Pool of McDonough, June Hutchinson of Trenton, N. J., Dr. Edward M. Vaughan of Middletown and Fred M. Kafer of Lawrenceville, N. J.

The bride and groom were met at the altar by the Rev. Percy L. Donaghy, who performed the ceremony. The bride wore a handsome dark blue tailored suit, with a blue velvet hat and carried American Beauty roses.

An interesting circumstance in connection with the wedding was the fact that the gold tray on which the ring was carried was a gift to the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Cochran, great uncle and aunt of the bride at their golden wedding anniversary. It has been used by most of the grand nieces who have been married since that time, and is regarded as a treasure in the family.

Mrs. Hutchinson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Cochran and is a decided favorite with the younger set. Mr. Hutchinson is in the automobile business in Trenton and has a handsome apartment house under construction.

After the ceremony the families and intimate friends of the young couple went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cochran where a reception was held. The house was trimmed with the same colors used in the decorations at the church.

Some of the guests present at the reception were: Mrs. A. E. Miller, of Newark; Mr. and Mrs. John Scudder; Miss Anna Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. William O. Shallock, Miss Mae Shallock, Miss Helen Shallock, Mrs. Mary Hough, Mr. June Hutchinson, Mr. Augustus Herbert, of Trenton, N. J.; Miss Welsh of Chestertown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kafer, Miss Mary Hutchinson, of Lawrenceville, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Craven, of Salem, N. J.; Mrs. Anna Leckner, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Niles, Miss Jessie Culbertson, of Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Myers, Mr. Bingham Myers, of Easton, Pa.; Mrs. Walter Woodall of Georgetown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Cochran; Rev. and Mrs. Percy L. Donaghy; Mr. Robert A. Cochran, Mrs. Joseph S. Griffith, Miss Lydia Cochran, Miss Josephine Cochran, Miss Unit Horsey, Miss Alice Cochran, Miss Mary Cochran, Mrs. S. M. Lockwood, Mrs. G. Lindsey Cochran, Mrs. Walter S. Lathbury, Mrs. Thomas Cochran, Mrs. James L. Warren, Mrs. G. Burton Pearson, Mrs. Henry S. Brady, Miss Laura Willis, Miss Ethel Brady, Mrs. George L. Townsend, Jr., Mrs. John C. Stites, Mrs. Henry M. Schroeder, Mrs. William Green, Mr. and Mrs. William Green Jr., Robert T. Cochran, Mrs. Julian Cochran, Mrs. Julian H. Foard, Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Pool, Letitia and John Pool, Miss Agnes Clark, Miss Elizabeth Price, Miss Etta Price, Mrs. J. K. Williams, Miss Frances Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Connelley, Mr. and Mrs. John C. McCoy, Frances, Edith and Richard Cochran, Miss Dora Price, Miss Patton Cochran, Miss May Holten and Miss Clara Willis of Middletown.

CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES

A very pleasing and entertaining program was rendered by the scholars of Forest Presbyterian Sunday School at their Children's Day and rally exercises, Sunday evening. The program was as follows: Scripture reading. Duett—Esther Brynes and John Pool. Recitation—"Hear my Prayer" by Frances Armstrong.

Recitation—"Under the Apple Tree" by Joseph Beaton.

Duett—Letitia and John Pool. Song by—School.

Recitation—"The Roses" by Winfield Cochran.

Song and chorus—"Class of girls." Recitation—"Autumn Days" by Walter Beaton.

Recitation—"Reward of Giving" by Odel Gallagher.

Recitation—"To the Flag" by Clayton Draper.

Song by—Four girls. Address by—Pastor.

Chorus by—School.

Recitation—"Our Heroes" by Alice Boulton.

Song by—Four girls.

Recitation—"Step by step" by Alma Whitlock.

Chorus—"Lift up the Banner" by School.

Benediction. School.

WARWICK

Miss Blanche Wright entertained Mrs. Conneys, of Middletown, over Sunday.

Miss Bessie Gunkel spent several days the past week with friends in Wayne, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Merritt, Jr., visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bishop on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Holden spent several days last week with relatives near Chestertown.

Mrs. Josephine Wilson is visiting her daughter Mrs. R. D. Aiken, on "Bohemia Manor".

Mrs. William Williamson is entertaining her sister Miss Sadie Royds, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. V. L. Vinyard spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Urie Ginn, near Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Willie King, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. L. P. King and family near town.

ROLLS OF HONOR

The following named pupils deserve special commendation for the month of September:

11th Grade—Elizabeth Gibbs, Rose Evans, Frances Simmons, Anna Berry, Mary Evans.

10th Grade—George Shaw, Charles Meyers, Sarah Kates, Ora Spry, William Price.

9th Grade—Clarence Weber, Elmer Kirk, Jessie Kohl, Jessie Shepherd, Mildred Redgrave, Elizabeth Alexander, Madeline Manlove, Avery Donovan.

Grammar School

8th Grade—Frances Beaton, Frank McWhorter, Ruth Gillespie.

7th Grade—Shelley Meyers, Edith Eliason, Odel Gallagher, Mildred Vaughan.

6th Grade—Grace Brady, Mildred Freeman, Clara Gallagher, Margaret Pleasanton, Marie Rosenberg, Alma Whitlock, William Clark.

5th Grade—Claude Fournace, Albert Schuman, June McWhorter.

Primary School

4th Grade, A. Division—Florence Urruh, Gladys Long, Elva Freeman, Margaret Evans, Bertha Baker, Clara Brady.

4th Grade, B. Division—Virginia Pearce, Glenna Long, Marjorie Armstrong, Fannie Rosenberg, Laura Fogel, Mary West, Myrtle Marker, Rogers Fournace, Esther Byrnes, Edward Hard, Gwendolyn Gary, Clyde Taylor, Parker Schuman.

3rd Grade—Gilbert Pleasanton, Clara Urruh, Evelyn Price, Mary Bland, Clinton Jolls, Frances Armstrong, Price Kaffey, Carlton Hard, Emma Sweetman, Anna Bignner, Clayton Draper, Sarah Pearce, Harriet Black, Harry Roberts, William Pinder.

2d Grade—Robert Hurd, Mary Goldborough, Gilbert Donaghy, Percy Donaghy, Marshall Whitlock, John Sweetman, Roland Frances, Mildred Cates, Annie Boulton, George Harris, Gladys Goldsborough, Caroline Fournace, Mary Atwell, Burton Williams, Walter Beaton.

1st Grade—Margaret Bradley, Margaret Brady, Elizabeth Brady, Elizabeth Clayton, Margaret Harris, Lyle Dashiell, Virginia Hopkins, Rachel Crow, Edwin Donaghy, William Hall, Harris McDowell, Linden Stafford, Preston Whitlock.

Brown Cottage School

Those on the honor roll for the month of September are as follows: Florence Boulton, Frank Hoffecker, Joseph Murray, James Murray.

OBITUARY

FRANK DAVIS

The numerous friends of this community of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis of Odessa were shocked Friday morning, when told of the sudden death of their little seven year old son Frank, which occurred at 10:30 o'clock Thursday evening.

The little fellow who was a great favorite with all who knew him, had only been ill a few days and was thought to be suffering from a cold, but the attending physician discovered his trouble to be inflammation of the kidneys. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad loss. Funeral services will be held at his parents home in Odessa, this Saturday afternoon at two o'clock; and the remains will be buried in Drawers Cemetery.

GEORGE S. HOPKINS

Mr. George S. Hopkins, a former resident of this town, died at St. Agnes Hospital, Philadelphia, on Saturday morning, aged 63 years. Deceased had resided in Middletown for some years, being engaged on one of the Wilson line boats running between that city and Philadelphia. His expressed wish was that his body might be cremated and his desire was carried out on Monday in Philadelphia. The ashes were brought here on Tuesday and interred in the Bethesda cemetery, Rev. Percy L. Donaghy, rector of St. Anne's P. E. Church, officiating. He leaves a wife and one married daughter, Mrs. Thordyke Roe.

Funeral of Mrs. Shepherd

The funeral of Mrs. Ann E. Shepherd took place from her late residence on Saturday afternoon last, and was largely attended. Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, assisted by Rev. W. C. Alexander, a former pastor of the Forest Presbyterian Church here; Rev. J. A. Arters and Rev. F. H. Moore, officiated. The pall-bearers were, J. S. C. Gray, M. B. Borris, Richard L. Price, Samuel Price, Charles F. Beaton and Minors Banning.

St. Anne's Church Notes

Sunday, Oct. 6th, the Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion and Sermon at half past ten. Sunday School at 1:45. Evening Prayer and Address at 7:30. Service on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at Trinity Church, Wilmington, on Thursday, Oct. 10th.

The Annual Meeting of the Sunday School Institute of the Diocese will meet in Christ Church, Dover, on Oct. 15th. Delegates from St. Anne's Parish will be elected at a meeting to be held shortly.

Charming Western Beauties

A score or more lady expert riders and lady sharpshooters are with the great Prairie Lillie and Nebraska Bill's Wild West Exhibition which is to appear in Middletown Friday, October 11th. Never before has there been offered to the American amusement loving public such an exhibition of graceful activity, dare-devil riding, accurate shooting, such a beautiful, bewitching and bewitching display of feminine charms as is presented by these beauties of the far west.

Interesting Temperance Lecture

Mrs. Mary Harris Armour, of Georgia, gave a very interesting temperance address in the Opera House last Sunday afternoon before a fair sized audience. This was Mrs. Armour's second visit to Middletown and she has made many friends here during her short visit. Rev. F. H. Moore presided over the meeting. Several well known hymns were sung by the audience. The offering was large and will be used to help defray the